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SEEKS TO EXTORT \$3,000 FROM WIFE OF GERMAN ENVOY

Karl A. Graves, Self-Styled International Spy, Arrested for Blackmail.

HE IS HELD IN \$2,000 BAIL FOR HEARING ON WEDNESDAY

Threatens to Publish Letters Showing "Failings" of Countess von Bernstorff.

Dramatic Conclusion to Negotiations in Progress for a Week With Prince Hatzfeldt.

(By Associated Press.) The final bession WASHINGTON, November 11.—Karl until a late hour. Armgaard Graves, a self-styled international spy and magazine writer, was Countess von Bernstorff, wife of the campaign battle cry, and won.
German ambassador, by threatening to Scores of reports dealing with the

Officials of the embassy also allege that Graves had in his possession what apparently were considential coded diplomatic dispatches from the Gercan government to Count von Bern-

The prisoner told the Federal agents he obtained all the documents from British censors on the steamship Oscar bail for a further hearing on Wednesinto the District of Columbia letters etolen in lioboken, N. J., where the In a statement after his arraignment,

which he entered a plea of not mulity. Graves asserted that he had no intention of blackmailing the countess, that he objected to the use of the word blackmail, and that the papers had in his possession were "purely diplomatic" in character.

fielal quarters at the Indirect exposure of the manner to which persons and officials in Germany apparently are avoiding the British censorship in communicating with the German embassy

"THE MASTER SPY"

The arrest of Graves furnishes a dramatic conclusion to negotiations which had been in progress for a week between him and Prince Hatzfeldt, counselor of the German embassy. Graves is said to have come to Washington last week and called at the embassy. He was known there as the man who had published widely what he alleged to be important secrets of cording to figures published here to-Office and the Hohenallerns. He also was known as a man

o previously had described himself service, and later as an employee in "The Master Spy" he called

the office of Prince Hatzfeldt he made known that he had in his possession the papers which to-day brought about his arrest. One letter which he exhibited was to the Countess von Bernstorff from her cousin, an officer in the German army. He said, according to statements by Federal oflicers to-night, that he had other let ters that would prove "embarrassing" for the countess, should they be pub-The official dispatches were said to

be useless to him for the reason that could not decipher them. He is allested to have asked for \$3,000 in cash delivered the papers. He also feged to have asked Prince Hatzfeldt to prepare and sign a statement that the money had been paid for services rendered the German govern-

Embassy officials said Graves threatened to turn over some of the docu ments to White House officials if the \$3,000 was not forthcoming.

HATZFELDT PROMISES

TO CONSIDER MATTER The letters showed no postmark, and officials of the embassy were convinced that they had, been obtained in some manner from a confidential messenger, identity was still undisclosed Prince Hatzfeldt promised to take the

matter under consideration. Prince Hatzfeldt communicated with the district attorney's office immediately Graves left his office. Another meeting was arranged, and yesterday Graves telegraphed from New York that he would arrive later in the day. Prince Batzfeldt put \$3,000 into an envelope, and with two agents of the Department of Justice awaited Graves at his home, but Graves failed to ap

This morning Graves called the embassy, and requested an appointment with Prince Hatzfeldt. A few hours later he arrived, and conversed with the counselor at his home for half an hour. One Federal agent was hiding behind a door in the room. Another was in the street outside. A police de-

tective was nearby. is said that Prince Hatzfeldt showed Graves the \$3,000, and that the latter said he would get from his hotel some of the documents. Leaving the house he walked into the arms of a Federal agent, and was taken to the Department of Justice, where he was examined. At the end of the examina-

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Daughters Object to "Civil War"

Inaugurate Campaign for Substitution of Phrase "War Between the States'

[By Associated Press.] DALLAS, TEX., November 11.—After selecting Chattanooga, Tenn., as the 1917 convention city, the United Daughters of the Confederacy, at the final ession of its twenty-second annual meeting here to-night, adopted resoluions declaring against histories and schools,"which do not portray true history of the South," and inaugurated a campaign for the adoption phrase "War Between the States" as

substitute for "Civil War." Other resolutions adopted included an indorsement of the congressional project for the placing of a Clara Bar-ALSO HAS OTHER DOCUMENTS ton window in the Red Cross Memorial Building at Washington, and funds were provided for installing a memorial window in the building by the organization. Provision also was made to

The final session to-night continued

Chattanooga was chosen for the 1917 convention, after the claims of St. Louis, Asheville and Birmingham had arrested here to-day by agents of the been considered. The Tennessee dele-Department of Justice and charged gation parodied a popular song-invita-

publish letters "alleged to contain mat- educational, historical, philanthropical that 75 per cent of the workers in ter showing her infirmities and fail. and memorial work of the organization one of the mill villages, all of which were disposed of to-day and to-night.

WONDERING ABOUT CABINET

Political Washington Thinks President May Train Next Demoeratic Candidate.

WASHINGTON, November 11 .- Posersons who smuggled them past the litical Washington is wondering if President Wilson will select for his arraigned to-night, and held on \$2,000 possibilities. There is a belief that he will name the next candidate of charges him also with bringing the Democratic party for President, and speculation has begun as to whether his selection will be in training in the

William J. Bryan's friends here are certain he and President Wilson will continue on the best of terms. They asmental in securing the success of the President in the West, where Bryan did most of his campaign work. Bryan is thought to have still a considerable following in Congress, and much inmanifested here in what the relations between the former Secretary of State and President Wilson will be

EXPORT OF WAR SUPPLIES

For Nine Months, Ending September 31, Amount to \$907,-970,000.

Associated Press.1 NEW YORK, November 11,-Exports of war supplies for the nine months ending September 31 amounted to \$997 .-970,000, or more than 25 per cent of the country's total export trade, ac-

ligerents was more than \$500,000,000 and member of the German secret automobiles, horses and mules, metalworking machinery and wire ranked

next in that order. According to a table published covering war supply exports since the movement began in January, 1915, their value for the twenty-one months was \$1,617,845,000, or about 22 per cent of the country's total exports. More war Hiram W. Johnson, United States Sensupplies were sent abroad during the ator-elect from California, can keep on first nine months of this year than throughout 1915.

AIRMAN ADDS TO HIS RECORD

Lieutenant Guynemer, Daring French Acronaut, Brings Down Total of 21 Machines So Far.

(By Associated Press.)

PARIS, November 11 .- Second Lieubrought down three German airplanes in two minutes and thirty seconds by the oath of office before taking his a stop watch, is credited by the War Office in to-day's official statement with having destroyed two German machines available as to his intentions, yesterday

This increases to twenty-one the number brought down by this aviator. Three other German airplanes were destroyed yesterday by the French in fighting on the western front.

FRANKLIN GOES TO ENGLAND

President of Mercantile Marine Believed to Have Been Summoned by Morgan.

NEW YORK, November 11 .- P. A. S. to Coney Island. They made no stop Franklin, president of the International at the resort, and they were not rec Mercantile Marine Company, sailed for England to-day on the American liner Hotel Astor, Mrs. Hughes went out on St. Louis. Mr. Franklin said his stay Broadway alone and took a long walk in England would be short, and that also unrecognized. the object of his visit was routine

steamship business, In shipping circles the view was expressed that Mr. Franklin had been summoned abroad by J. P. Morgan, to whom he owes his promotion to the presidency of the company.

MUNITION PLANT CUTS PAY

Many Men Quit When Notified That Their Wages Are to Be Reduced by Half.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., November 11 .-Men employed in the General Railway Signal Company's plant, making war munitions, were surprised to receive notice yesterday that their pay would be cut in half at once. Many of them quit. The company has big contracts for making shells for the allies.

Notice was posted in the shops some

TROOPS NOT USED NEW YORK CROWDS TO EJECT STRIKERS CHEER PRESIDENT

Writs on Operatives in South Carolina Town.

Managers of Mills Declare They Will Be Guided by Advice of Artillery Officer.

After the arrival here to-day of some CIAL, ALBANY, November 11.—Presi-4,000 South Carolina Coast Guard ar- dent Wilson, returning to Washington Senate will be Democratic by a safe Monday to serve writs of ejectment on night witnessed a demonstration at virtually tied in the number of seats striking mill operatives residing on

The State soldiers were sent here by eliminate the deficit in the Arlington Governor Manning, after Sheriff Ash- for their congratulations

It was said to-day's postponement was due to the desire of Major William | sons rushed forward to shake Presi-F. Robertson, of Greenville, command- dent Wilson's hand. Former Govering the troops, to acquaint himself with local conditions, and because mill offi- temporary chairman of the St. Louis with attempting to extort \$3,000 from tion "To Come to Tennessee," as their class hesitated to drive the tenants out

willingness to return to work under conditions prevailing before the mills closed down. Managers of the mills stated to-night that they would be guided entirely by Major Robertson's renew operations. Conditions were quiet to-day, and there was no indiclashes between soldiers and citizens The mills which closed down are the Equinox and the Gluck Mills, manufacturers of cotton ducking. were against certain strikers on the Equinox Mill property.

M'CORMICK WIRES JAMES

Expresses Appreciation of State Chair-Man's Work During the Campaign.

[Special to The Times-Disputch.] DANVILLE, VA., November 11.—R. A. James, Democratic State chairman, to-day received the following telegram from Vance G. McCormick, national Democratic chairman:

"While we are celebrating our glorious victory I want to take this opportunity to express to you my deep appreciation of the great services performed by you in this campaign. The result was only accomplished by the unselfish and patriotic devotion of men River. The President directed that the Resota District, Republican leaders say like you, who made sacrifices for the great cause of democracy and the ideal at daybreak to-morrow. He expects tion of the House, a grateful nation is yours."

lowing message: "Permit me to extend to you the N. Y., a band played in his honor, grateful acknowledgement of the Virginia Democracy for your masterful REMAINS QUIETLY WITH

especially your bold and determined stand for an honest count." CAN RETAIN GOVERNORSHIP

Hiram W. Johnson May Not Enter Senate Until December, 1917.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 11 .being Governor of California until De cember, 1917, if he wants to according to a statement by U. S. Webb, at

torney-general of the State. The general practice is for a Senator-elect to take oath of office March 4 of the year following his election, but this is not necessary, according to Mr. Webb. He can wait until the following December, when Congress con-

tenant Georges Guynemer, the famous special session of Congress is called in the meantime. In that event he would have to take election.

No statement from the Governor was

HUGHES SPENDS QUIET DAY

Will Remain in New York Over Sunday and Go to Some Near-By Resort for Rest on Monday.

NEW YORK, November 11 .- Charles

Later Mr. and Mrs. Hughes motored ognized. After they returned to the

In the evening they attended the performance of "Pollyanna." Sunday, and on Monday Will probable go away to some near-by resort for rest. Mr. Hughes will make no statements until after the official count in the doubtful States.

THE CARPATHIA AGROUND

Cunarder Expected to Float Off High Tide and Continue Trip to Liverpool.

NEW YORK, November 11 .- The Cuarder Carpathia went aground tonight off Owl's Head, near the entrance to New York harbor, according to a report received at Quarantine.

The Carpathia was outward bound for Liverpool. It is expected she will float off at high tide.

ASHEVILLE, ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM,
NEW ORLEANS, TEXAS.
Three trains daily via SOUTHERN RAILannouncement came very unexpectedly.

ASHEVILLE in the "LAND OF THE SKY"
Delightful at this season. Golf and out-

bany in Celebration of Outcome of Election. NO INDICATION OF CLASHES ON HIS WAY TO WASHINGTON BIG PARTIES VIRTUALLY TIED

Refusal of Republicans to Concede His Victory.

tillerymen, it was decided to wait until for the first time in two months, to- majority, but with the major parties again.

> arranged in his honor. The railroad station was crowded, and many pernor Glynn, of New York, who was convention, was at the station with

other Democratic leaders. As President Wilson's train rolled into Albany torpedoes were exploded sional Committee, claims control by on the tracks and locomotive whistles seven. The election of a Democrat in are near here, had expressed their shricked. Before the President ar- New Mexico is conceded. It will rerived the crowd had paraded through the business section of the city.

President Wilson shook hands with many persons at Troy. "We're with Districts.

"How's Baby Sayre?" asked another, nineteen votes. "Fine," responded President Wilson. Eliminating both these Pennsylvania

trip down the Hudson River from disputed by Republicans leaders, and Rhinecliff, N. Y., to New York on the five sure votes in Pennsylvania, the naval yacht Mayflower. He is to Democrats have a total of 211. board a train in New York at 3:34 REPUBLICANS CLAIM P. M. to-morrow.

He left Williamstown, Mass., where

town College saw him leave.

STARTS FOR NEW YORK AT DAYBREAK TO-DAY

IBy Associated Press,1 RHINECLIFF, N. Y., November 11.--President Wilson arrived here to-night bership being 435. from Williamstown, Mass., and at once boarded the naval yacht Mayflower, of true Americanism. The gratitude of to land in New York to-morrow afternoon. On his way here from Albany Mr. James, in replying, sent the fol- to-night, the President was cheered a. several small towns. At Germantown, of 220 votes.

clated Press.1 WILLIAMSTOWN, MASS., November the Democratic organization, the Demo-11.-President Wilson ignored politics crats would have a total of 214. If to-day to remain quietly with mem- they get both the Pennsylvania doubtbers of his family here. Several hundred telegrams of congratulations ar- which still would be three less than rived during the morning.

The President left here shortly after trol of the House. 5 o'clock this afternoon by train for MAKE-UP OF DELEGATION Rhinecliff, N. Y., to board the Mayflower. He will arrive in Washington

the result as a vindication of his past Randall, who classifies himself as venes, if he prefers to do so, unless a course, and as approval of the general Prohibitionist, but who affiliates with outlines of policy set forth by him the Democrats, has been re-elected. in his speeches as a candidate for re-

on official business, and in the near fu-

The President took a short walk this lated his opponent. morning. He was invited to witness a football game this afternoon between there can be any doubt of the Repub-

Later President Wilson took an auto

BURNS HIS HOUSE TOO SOON

Son of B. & O. President Furnishes Fuel for Celebration When He Thinks Hughes Is Elected.

WINSTED, CONN., November 11 .-Harold N. Willard, son of Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, remarked on election they will control the next House. It would give an old dwelling-house on his farm in Salisbury as fuel for a celebration. Late Tuesday night when the returns indicated the election of SELECTION OF SPEAKER TO Hughes, jubilant Republicans went to the Willard place, and Willard kept his word.

success," they were informed.

which alone marks the scene of the great Republican celebration, joy turned to sorrow when word was re-

CHOICE OF SPEAKER HANGS IN BALANCE

Will Wait Until Monday to Serve Demonstrations at Troy and Al- Three Progressives, One Socialist, One Independent and a Prohibitionist to Control.

Executive Not Concerned Over Senate Democratic by Safe Majority, but Republicans Will Lead in House.

ON BOARD THE PRESIDENT'S SPE-cratic concern to-day was chiefly in Troy and Albany in celebration of the 80 far won in the lower branch, atoutcome of the election. Crowds at tention turned to the Progressives, Soboth places cheered him again and cialists and independents, who are al-The President thanked them most certain to wield the balance of Here at Albany a procession was gressives, one Socialist, one indepencast the deciding votes in all the lm-

fore the Sixty-fifth Congress Indications to-night are that the Republicans will control the House of Representatives in the next Congress next week, as part of a general sumby a bare majority of one. Chairman Woods, of the Republican Congresto determine the results in the Thirtieth and Thirty-second Pennsylvania and defeated in the Thirty-second by

One man leaped on the obesrvation districts and giving the Republicans six platform beside the President and led in California and ten in New Jersey, the Republicans have a total of 216 votes. The President is due to arrive in Glving the Democrats the one mem-Washington to-morrow night, after a ber from Delaware, although this is ried contraband, and whether she at-

CONTROL OF HOUSE he went to act as godfather for his North Carolina District by thirteen The election of Britt in the Tenth newest grandchild at 5:25 o'clock this votes is reported, and this district has A crowd of students from Williams- unofficial tabulation of officers of the House. Republican leaders have been assured that Martin, the Progressive protectionist in Louisiana, will vote with them on organization. This gives the Republicans a total of 218 votes, just sufficient to control, the total mem-

The Independent Republican from the Ninth Massachusetts and the Progreswhich lay at anchor in the Hudson sive Republican from the Tenth Min-Mayflower proceed slowly to New York will support a Republican organiza-

If this be true, then the Republicans, without counting the Thirtieth Pennsylvania District, would have a total

Granting one of the doubtful Penn-MEMBERS OF FAMILY that the New York Socialist and the California Prohibtionist will support ful districts, their vote would be 215, sufficient to organize and obtain con-

FROM CALIFORNIA carload rates. Press dispatches have given the Sunday night by train from New York. Democrats six members from Call- tine against the Pittsburgh, Cincin-President Wilson is not concerned fornia. Telegrams received by the Reover the refusal of the Republican campaign managers to concede his re-elec- California to-day reliterate that the The chief thing worrying him Republicans have elected six members, was for rebating to B. A. is the political complexies of the next they being Curry, Kahn, Nolan, Elston, House, because of its effect on his plans Hayes and Osborne. The Democrats The President is understood to take Ketner, while in the Ninth District, have elected Lea, Raker, Church and

The press associations also give the After his return to Washington tomorrow he will catch up immediately Fhird District, but Carson has been ture will begin the preparation of his rality. Mr. Scully, it was reported here this afternoon, has already congratu-

the Massachusetts Agricultural College licans receiving the certification of election, other than those mentioned, mobile ride through the Berkshire Hills the Democrat be given the certificate. is the Tenth North Carolina. Should E. Hughes spent another quiet day to- with Mr. and Mrs. Francia B. Sayre, his Chairman Woods of the Republican ence, declared that there is a good States."

> The majority of Progressive Demoerat Martin in Louisiana is approximately 100. The returns have been forwarded to the Secretary of State, can arrange for their departure with- the electoral college from California who is a Progressive Democrat, and the out impairing the patrol of the boun- was divided, two electors being for result there, it is claimed, cannot be dry, they will soon return home, tampered with, if such were the desire of Martin's opponents.

is only a question of just what their majority will be according to the Republican viewpoint.

BE DETERMINED IN CAUCUS

elected, and Willard's burning up his than from Progressives. Concessions, As smoke was still rising from the who assume that they will control the ruins and curling about the thimney House, said to-day they would follow the Democratic custom of permitting the Ways and Means Committee to name the committees, or select a speceived that the election result was in clal committee for that purpose that doubt, with chances favoring Wilson's would recognize the different groups In the membership.

American Steamer Submarine Victim

When Last Heard From, Was Sending Out Wireless Calls for Help.

1By Associated Prest.1 LONDON, November 11.—The Amerian steamer Columbian is believed to have been sunk, according to an ancouncement by Lloyds.

It was reported here on Wednesday that the Columbian was sending out wireless calls for help, saying she was being shelled by a submarine. The calls were picked up at that time by Few Additional Figures From Admiralty stations.

Nothing further, however, had been heard of the Columbian until to-night's statement from Lloyd's shipping agency. The crew of the American steam hip Columbian has arrived at Reuter dispatch from Madrld.

TO BE LAID BEFORE PRESIDENT THIS WEEK

WASHINGTON, November 11 .- The case of the American steamer Columbian, reported sunk off the Danish Wilson by the State Department early mary of recent submarine operations, construed by some officials as fore-

Information regarding the Colum quire the returns from the soldier vote bian was so incomplete tonight that no official would predict what part the case might play in final deteryou four more years of peace and pros-perity," shouted one man.

| A Republican is elected in the Thir-teth by the narrow margin of twenty. | Late in the day the American consulat Balboa forwarded the report that the vessel had been sunk thirty miles off Cape Ortegal, and her crew saved but no details were given.

Points to be cleared up before a decision is reached involve the questions of whether the vessel was fired on without warning, whether she car

All available facts regarding the Columbian will be collected as soon as Information on the Marina. incomplete, but every report received so far regarding these vessels will be placed before the President as as he returns to his desk at the White

HEAVY FINES INFLICTED

Convicted of Violating Interstate Commerce Act.

f By Associated Press. CHICAGO, November 11.—Fines to-taling more than \$171,000 were assessed by Federal Judge Landis to-day against Swift & Co., packers, and number of railroads convicted of vio- tion officials expressed the opinion that most of the cases the charges were retofficial count would split California's bating or in shipping less than car-

load shipments at carload rates. Swift & Co. were fined \$60,000, the sylvania districts-the Thirty-second- Pennsylvania Railroad, \$20,000; the Elto the Democrats, and the known fact gin, Joliet and Eastern Railroad, \$20,-Chicago and St. Louis Railroad, \$23,000 in one case and \$50,000 in another.

> In addition, tines ranging from \$100 Chicago and Northwestern Railroad the Indiana Harbor Belt Railroad and two remaining regiments on the border, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul. About 2,000 votes were cast by the The charges against Swift & Co. was that it shipped less than carload

shipments to Michigan points at the Board of Trade firm, while the \$50,000.

head of the Eckhardt Milling Com-ANXIOUS TO COME HOME

Virginia State Militiamen on Border Want to Be Relieved of Duty.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WASHINGTON, November 11.—The Virginia State militiamen now on the border want to come home. Senator Swanson to-day held a conference with

chance for the militiamen, who went "The record shows," Mr. Willcox's, to the border shortly after the mobil- statement read, "that Mr. Wilson was ization to be ordered home and mus- first in the lead; that subsequently tered out within a short time. said if the War Department officials veit, and that finally the delegation to

EMERSON FOR CABINET

Maryland Democrats Start Movement to Have Baltimorean Appointed.

BALTIMORE, MD., November 11 .--Maryland Democrats have started a here until the first of next week. He movement to have Captain Isaac E. said he did not expect official counts The selection of a Speaker will be Emerson, father of Mrs. Alfred G. from the doubtful States to begin comdetermined in caucus. If opposition is Vanderbilt, appointed Secretary of the ing in before then, and that it would The reflection from the blaze was vis- found to James R. Mann, a compromise Navy in the next Wilson Cabinet. Cap- be more than a week at least before ible for miles; persons living at a dis- candidate will be selected. It is said tain Emerson, they believe, possesses they were complete. He would not tance inquired by telephone where that opposition to Mann is more likely many qualifications for the job. He venture a guess on how much longer property was burning. "Hughes is to come from old line Republicans was one of the organizers and the first than that it might take. commander of the Maryland Reserves old house in honor of the Republican of course, must be made to the small and has always been a close student of BELIEVED LITTLE CHANCE group of Independents. Republicans, naval affairs, besides being an ardent yachtman. He is in addition an admitted efficient business organizer, they say, having built up his own big fortune by his business methods. He was born in North Carolina.

LATESTRETURNS ADD TO ADVANTAGE HELD BY PRESIDENT

Now Seems Assured of 272, and Probably 276 Votes.

NEW HAMPSHIRE DROPS INTO DEMOCRATIC COLUMN

California and New Mexico Do Not Reduce Lead.

G. O. P. AHEAD IN MINNESOTA

Final Result in That State Will Be Determined by Two Regiments on Border.

Wilson Holds Lead in Latest Figures

Latest disputches give the follow-

ing results: California-With eighteen precincts missing out of 5,870, the figures stand: Hughes, 462,828; Wilson. 166,106. Wilson plurality so far is

Minnesota-in 3,021 precincts of 1,048. Wilson gets 178,544; Hughes, 178,792. Hughes's plurality, 248. New Hampshire-Certified returns. with all precincts complete, give

Wilson a plurality of sixty-three. New Mexico-In 609 precincts. President Wilson leads by 2,184 votes. The missing twenty-nine precincts are small and widely 1By Associated Press.] NEW YORK, November 11.—To-day's returns from Tuesday's election served

only to increase the advantage of President Wilson, who now seems assured of 272, and probably 276, votes in the electoral college. New Hampshire, which had wavered from Wilson to Hughes for three days, late to-day dropped into the Democratic column a plurality of sixty-three votes. This was on complete certified returns in the hands of the Secretary of State. The few additional returns from California and New Mexico dld not reduce Mr. Wilson's lead in those States. In

electors in the semiofficial count conducted by the registrar of votes.

fort in a dispatch from Los Angeles.

which said that a difference of only

654 votes was found between the high-

est and lowest of the Democratic

VOTE OF GUARDSMEN INCREASES HUGHES'S LEAD Corrected returns from Ramsay Charles E. Hughes's plurality in the State to 239, but to-night the first returns from the national guardsmen on the border ran it up to 268. Political that the State would be swung by the

soldiers, but all of them will not be counted until next week. With the presidential contest settled to the satisfaction of the Demoeratic managers, Chairman McCormick, of the national committee, left for his home in Harrisburg to-day, but Chairman Willcox, of the Republican committee steadfastly refused to concede that Mr. Hughes had been defeated. He pointed to the 1912 contest in California, where the pendulum swung back and forth for weeks, to justify his position. Nothing would eded or claimed, he said, until the final

count was in WILLCOX TELLS WHY HE REFUSES TO CONCEDE

A statement showing the fluctuation of the lead between President Wilson and Colonel Roosevelt in California in 1912 from day to day for a month after the election, and how the State finally. Secretary of War Baker, and urged son was first credited with winning if there is any possible chance of William R. Willcox, of the Republican was issued here to-day by Chairman sparing them. The Virginians were National Committee to "show precisely among the first to go to the front, why the Republican National Commit-They feel they have served their share tee cannot, at this time, concede the election of Mr. Wilson and must await. the official count in this and other

He this lead was taken by Colonel Roose-Mr. Wilson and eleven for Colonel

Mr. Willcox had a conference with Charles E. Hughes to-day, during which the situation was discussed. No announcement came from Mr. Hughes in regard to his own plans. Mr. Willcox said afterward that he and, he thought, Mr. Hughes, would remain;

By Associated Press.] SAN FRANCISCO, November 11 .--Analysis by Democratic leaders to-day of the popular presidential vote in San Francisco failed to give much encour-WINTER TOURIST FARES SOUTH

Reduced round-trip fares to tourist points
permitting stop-overs now on sale via
SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Reduced round-trip fares to tourist points
can State Central Committee that a
split electoral vote would result agement to the claim of the Republic